

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

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For: INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE SYSTEM WITH HYDROGEN
GENERATION CAPABILITY

NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE AND FILING RECEIPT STATUS REQUEST

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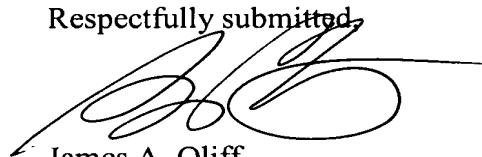
Sir:

The above-captioned patent application entered the National Phase on July 25, 2006. The 35 U.S.C. 371 requirements were completed on July 25, 2006.

The original Notification of Acceptance and Filing Receipt have not yet been received. It is respectfully requested that the original Notification of Acceptance and Filing Receipt be immediately forwarded to the attorneys of record at the address set forth below.

If there are any questions regarding this matter, please contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

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